



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Serge Lasserre

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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response by two months in the above-identified Application from June 25, 2003 to August 25, 2003.

The fee for this two-month extension is \$410.00. Please charge this fee to Texas Instruments Incorporated, Deposit Account No. 20-0668. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Please charge any and all necessary fees to said deposit account.

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